

# April 2015

National Park Service  
U.S. Department of the Interior  
New Orleans Jazz  
National Historic Park



Visitor's Center  
916 N. Peters Street  
New Orleans, LA 70116  
Tues.- Sat. 9am-5pm

## Wednesday, April 29th

Noon – 1:00 p.m.

(916 N. Peters St.)

Reknowned jazz vocalist Stephanie Jordan leads *Jazz Pilates* set to the recorded music of major jazz composers like John Coltrane and Kidd Jordan. *Jazz Pilates* integrates traditional Pilates and dance movements with jazz music to improve the mind-body-spirit connection. Please bring your own fitness mat.

2:00 p.m.

(Old U.S. Mint)

Join the *Junior Olympia Brass Band* led by Tanio Hingle for a concert and discussion entitled “Civil Rights Organizing & the Junior Olympia Brass Band”. This concert series is part of the park’s ongoing musical partnership with the Neighborhood Story Project that resulted in the book “Talk that Music Talk: Passing on New Orleans Brass Band Traditions”. Special guests will include Jerome Smith with moderation by Rachel Breunlin.

3:30 p.m.

(916 N. Peters St.)

Clive Wilson and Butch Thompson lead a traditional jazz quintet at our French Market location.

1:00 p.m.

(916 N. Peters St.)

The *Palos Verde High School Jazz Band* performs at our French Market location.

## Friday, May 1<sup>st</sup>

11:00 p.m.

(916 N. Peters St.)

Join one of our celebrity guest artists from our “Songs for Junior Rangers” CD, award winning children’s musician and author *Johnette Downing*. Johnette will perform a concert and sing along especially suited for kids from Pre-school to 3rd grade.

## Saturday, May 2nd

10:00 a.m.

(916 N. Peters St.)

Bring comfortable clothing and your own yoga mat to our French Market location for *Jazz Yoga*. This free yoga class will feature instructor *Susan Landry* and meditational jazz piano by Peter Nu.

12:00 p.m.

(916 N. Peters St.)

Kid’s are invited to bring their own instruments and join members of the *Tornado Brass Band* for our Music for All Ages music workshop. This program, started by ranger Bruce Barnes, seeks to pass along brass traditions the New Orleans way.

2:00 p.m.

(Old U.S. Mint)

Pianist *Craig Brenner* performs boogie woogie and New Orleans piano styles at the Mint.

3:00 p.m.

(916 N. Peters St.)

*Ecos Latinos* Presents Brazilian musicians, Luciano Silva & Giba Conceicao, in concert with Louisiana musicians: harpist, Patrice Fisher, percussionist, Carlos Valladares, Trombonist, Ben Smith, guitarist, Roberto Moreira, Flutist, Betsy Braud, bassist, Edwin Gonzalez, pianist, Fran Comiskey and German trumpeter, Klaus Fats Lumma.

## Tuesday, May 5th

12:00 p.m. – 1:00 p.m.

(916 N. Peters St.)

Piano virtuoso *Richard Scott* performs an hour of traditional New Orleans jazz at our French Market location.

2:00 p.m. – 3:00 p.m.

(Old U.S. Mint)

Rangers *Michael Harris & Matt Hampsey* lead the *Down on Their Luck Orchestra* in a program demonstrating musical elements that helped nurture New Orleans role as the birthplace of jazz. The *DOTLO* is rounded out by *Richard Scott* on piano, *Joe Stolarick* on drums, and *Hubie Vigreux* on percussion.

All National Park Service programs are free of charge unless otherwise indicated.

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